



Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge Youth Deer Hunt - Oct. 20-23, 2011

** 30,240 acres open to hunting on Agassiz Refuge*

What's New?

- The area open to youth hunters on Agassiz has doubled in size since 2009.
- The 2-day youth season (2009) was increased to a 4-day season.
- Youth ages 10 & 11 may now participate.
- Either sex deer (bucks or does) may be harvested.

Agassiz NWR-Youth Deer Hunting Information

- **Scouting:** permitted Wednesday, October 19, 8:00 am to 3:00pm
- All Minnesota State regulations apply.
- Refuge specific regulations apply; see Agassiz Deer Hunting Regulation brochure.
- Information, maps, & questionnaire will be available at 3 parking locations within the hunt area. Please complete the voluntary information sheet at some point during each day you hunt.
- Information is also available at the Refuge Office, Kiosks, and Website <http://fws.gov/midwest/Agassiz>
- A staff person will be on station during the weekend

Minnesota DNR Rule Summary that applies on Agassiz NWR

Northwest Minnesota Special Youth Deer Season- October 20- 23

- § Participants must be age 10 to 15 at the time of the hunt.
- § Youth 12 years & older must have a firearms safety certificate or apprentice hunter validation.
- § An adult mentor, who may not be armed, must accompany the hunter at all times.
- § Party hunting is not allowed.
- § Participants must obtain a valid firearms deer license before they hunt.
- § Only 1 deer may be taken during the hunt.
- § If a buck is harvested, the deer must be tagged with the youth's regular license.
- § Blaze orange is required for all hunters and adult mentors.
- § Participating in this Youth Season does not preclude one from hunting the regular deer seasons, but harvested deer count against the annual bag limit.

For more details on the Special Youth Deer Season see page 29, MN Hunting & Trapping Regulations Handbook 2011.

Youth Deer Hunt Area 2010 Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge

- H** Refuge Headquarters
- P** Youth Deer Hunting Parking
- Areas Closed To All Hunting
- Youth Deer Hunting Access Roads
- ▨** 2010 Youth Deer Hunt Boundary (30,243 acres)
- County Hwy 7
- Refuge Boundary
- ▨** State Wildlife Management Areas (open to youth deer hunters)

